



## HIV/AIDS, STD & TB Prevention IDAHO

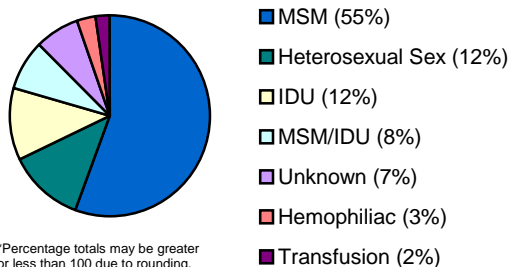
### HIV/AIDS Epidemic

Idaho reported 572 cumulative AIDS cases to CDC as of December 2003.

#### Cumulative AIDS Reported Cases by Mode of Exposure, through 2004

\*N = 562

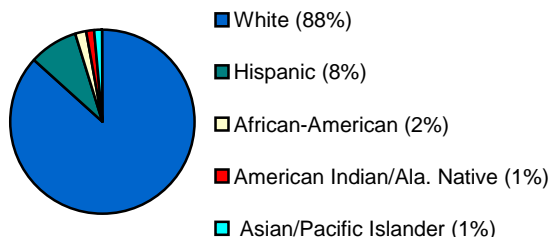
SOURCE: Idaho Department of Health and Welfare



#### Cumulative AIDS Reported Cases by Race/Ethnicity, through 2004

N = 562

SOURCE: Idaho Department of Health and Welfare



### Sexually Transmitted Diseases (STDs)

#### Syphilis

Primary and secondary (P&S) syphilis (the stages when syphilis is most infectious) remains a problem in the southern U.S. and some urban areas.

- Idaho ranked 22<sup>nd</sup> among the 50 states with 1.8 cases of P&S syphilis, per 100,000 persons.
- The number of congenital syphilis cases increased from 0 in 1995 to 3 in 2004.

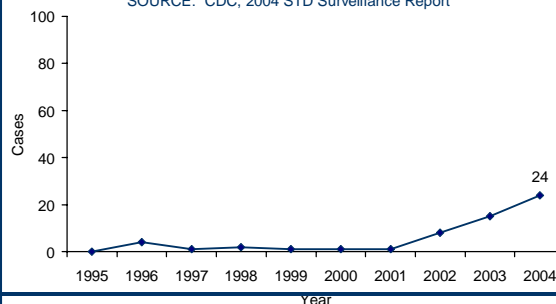
#### Chlamydia and Gonorrhea

Chlamydial and gonorrheal infections in women are usually asymptomatic and often go undiagnosed. Untreated, these infections can lead to pelvic inflammatory disease (PID), which can cause tubal infertility, ectopic pregnancy, and chronic pelvic pain.

- Idaho ranked 43<sup>rd</sup> among the 50 states in chlamydial infections (203.8 per 100,000 persons) and 50<sup>th</sup> in the rate of gonorrhea infections (7.5 per 100,000 persons).
- Rates of chlamydia among Idaho women (316.5 cases per 100,000 females) were 3.5 times greater than those among Idaho men (90.1 cases per 100,000 males).

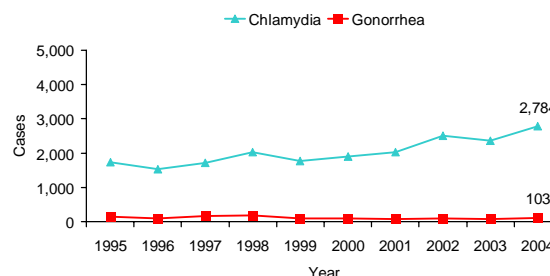
#### P&S Syphilis Cases in Idaho, 1995-2004

SOURCE: CDC, 2004 STD Surveillance Report



#### Chlamydia and Gonorrhea Cases in Idaho, 1995-2004

SOURCE: CDC, 2004 STD Surveillance Report

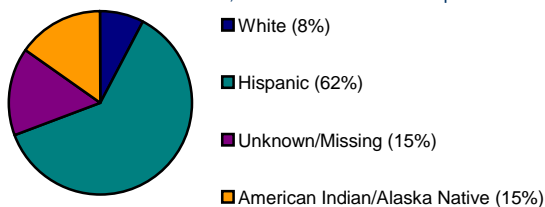


## Tuberculosis

### TB Cases by Race/Ethnicity, through 2003

N = 13

Source: CDC, 2003 TB Surveillance Report



Although rates of tuberculosis (TB) infection in the U.S. have declined substantially since 1992, rates among foreign-born persons continued to increase. In 2003, Idaho reported

- ❑ The 47<sup>th</sup> highest rate of TB in the U.S.
- ❑ A total of 13 TB cases with 62% affecting Hispanics and 15% affecting American Indian/Native Americans. In all, about 46% were among foreign-born persons.

## Program Initiatives Supported by CDC

### HIV/AIDS and Sexually Transmitted Diseases (STDs)

The Idaho Department of Health and Welfare's STD/AIDS program works with district health departments and community-based organizations to provide HIV prevention interventions and programs. HIV prevention intervention categories include: Health Education and Risk Reduction group-and individual-level interventions, Prevention Case Management, and Outreach.

### Tuberculosis (TB)

As is the case with several other states reporting few TB cases, changing demographics is playing an important role in the profile of persons with TB in Idaho. Public health districts are adapting to an increasing number of foreign-born TB patients by hiring staff with the language skills and cultural sensitivity needed to successfully engage patients. The Central Health District has increased its bicultural/bilingual workforce to 20% of all personnel. While only 5% of Idaho residents were born outside the United States, one-third of TB cases reported in the state in 1998-2001 were among foreign-born persons.

### National Center for HIV, STDs & TB Prevention Funding to Idaho, 2005 (US\$)

HIV/AIDS	\$911,850
STDs	\$432,596
TB	\$143,781

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